

# South Butler County School District

## Q & A -- Water Test Results

1. Is the water safe at the School District?

Yes, the water testing results identified a limited number of fountains or sinks that need to be repaired by the District. Those fountains and sinks have been taken out-of-service. They will remain out-of-service until repairs have been completed and additional test results are obtained by the District.

2. Will the repairs be completed before the start of School?

We anticipate that the repairs will be completed for the start of school. However, any fountains or sinks that are not fully repaired and tested, will remain out-of-service.

3. Should I have my son or daughter tested?

That is a decision that you as a parent/guardian will need to make. If you have concerns, you may want to discuss your concerns with your family physician or contact the Pennsylvania Department of Health, [www.health.pa.gov](http://www.health.pa.gov) or 1-800-440-5323.

4. Is the School District going to pay to have my child/me tested?

No, the School District has acted in a very responsible and proactive manner when it tested its water; identified the fountains and sinks in need of repair; took those fountains and sinks out-of-service; and, will keep those fountains and sinks out-of-service until the repairs and subsequent tests are complete.

5. Is this the first time that the District has tested its water?

No, during the 2015-2016 school year, the District conducted water testing on a smaller scale. None of those test results indicated any problems with the water tested.

6. Is the District going to test its water every year?

The District will continue to conduct water testing as recommended by Gannet Fleming, the District's water expert.

7. Will the District provide the public with information regarding the repairs, additional tests, etc.?

Yes, the District has posted the water test report from Gannet Fleming on the District's website and the District will continue to post information on its website as it becomes available.